



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Art Unit: 2824

Application No.: 10/800,831

Examiner: Vu Anh LE

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE WITH SHIFT REGISTER-BASED
ADDRESS GENERATION CIRCUIT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Prior to initial examination of this application, and in conjunction with the attached Request for Continued Examination, entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in a listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.